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MAINE NEWS.

AND STILL THEY COME.

Large Number of New Measures Presented in Legislature.

Important Hearing on the Bill to Tax Savings Banks.

Arguments Made in Favor and Opposition to Measure

Many Bills Affecting this Section of the State.

[Special to Wilgan & Courier]

AUGUSTA, Feb 1 At the hearing of the House of savings banks last evening Hon H Y Heath opened the affirmative by showing the constitution and referring savings banks to charters granted by three similar cases where the Supreme Court had upheld or maintained taxation

Mr George D Bisbee ex Bank examiner of Lewiston said that to cut of four people in Maine only one had savings banks and that the people must have a deep rest things concerning them He opposed the bill because it aids the people by taxing the State by causing the banks to cease the efforts to look after industries that could be built up and other investments their funds in

He said that some cases as many as one hundred persons had a deposit of some one hundred dollars in a State Bank the money might be that it was owned by the rich rather the more wealthy He said that bank might at least invite a difference years State Assessor H C Emery favored the bill and offered a amendment He agreed in all particulars with the gentleman who had spoken before him

Mr Gardner spoke in favor of the bill and gave statistics showing investment in savings banks

Spoke for the Opposition

Hon Seth Wiggin said that savings bank tax should be considered upon the Bank Examiners report and the reasons why they favored investments was because such a tax would be collected and thus a sudden run on a bank would be avoided

Mr Judah Dunn of Augusta Judge Humphrey of Bangor and Mr Lyndon Morrill of Auburn spoke for the opposition Judge Humphrey making a lengthy argument

He declared there was no propriety in imposing a franchise tax upon the savings banks The losses of his bank had been very largely through home investments made to develop enterprises and industries The judge also raised the point that high class bonds which would readily yield money when wanted in case of a panic could not be got in the State Where the foreign capital could protect ourselves

Trustee Merrill of the Auburn Savings Bank agreed with Judge Humphrey that our friendly legislation should be entitled It was the small depositors of whom there were 10 000 in the State, who used post offices 8 00 or less who would be effected He impression which had been sought to create that there was a patchy of farm loans among Auburn and Lewiston banks was not true The banks were not averse to loans of securities

Hearing here the committee adjourned to 9 00 to-day when the discussion was continued by Hon J P Bass of Bath who spoke for the bill saying that of people have but $1 000 in Savings banks who can give their name but that bank taxation thus has the effect of the expense of tax

He make the tax ¾ per cent as other property is about 2 per cent and did not fine banks for invest in the State Hon A A Burr of the same as the discrimination 1 per cent in favor of home investments would tend to build up the State we have large resources, which could be developed

Wilson of Somerset favored the bill believed that taxes should not be a discrimination between the rich and poor He could not see why money in savings banks should not be taxed as well as those who deposit in savings banks who in general are best able to pay tax since most persons had but little that it would be to use and could not be invested would increase home investments in all parts of the State

Mr Hunter of the Belfast Savings Bank for the opposition

In the afternoon Mr Drinkwater, of Monson extended remarks against the bill Littlefield favored it

Mr Bisbee replied briefly before and after the hearing Several business men and their taxation He said the fact that the pending measure increases the safety of the depositor Timberlake, of Phillips favored the measure which was opposed by former examiners and was by business men It keeps money at

Mr Baker favored the bill He said he encouraged home investments in keeping up the grandest State in the Union The bill does not compel any bank to a graded list of investments now or pay it puts ¼ per cent premiums on the investments

Mr Israel Merrill of Portland, opposed the bill called up Mr Hunt, of Bath Both favorable investments, but thought it was not the people but some outside parties that favored it

Mr Merrill would encourage the banks by not taxing them and attacked points made by Mr Baker and Mr Littlefield Judge Symonds discussed the question He thought it wise to discriminate, favoring Maine investments The constitutionality of the bill is all right The Legislature has full control of banks, and could close them all

New Measures

Among the measures introduced to day were the following

An act amending the law relating to the crossing of railroads so that fines for violation go half to the complainant and half to the State a bill amending the act incorporating the Bath Military Naval Orphan Asylum to include in its purposes the education and support of the descendants of Maine Veterans, their orphans and half orphans, and then being for general orphans

The Bangor Bar remonstrates against the law changing the jurisdiction of the municipal court, a bill for which is pending A bill requiring the registration of physicians, that a board of registration be appointed by the Governor; a bill to incorporate the Gorham Telephone Company.

A bill amending the law relating to the from time to time, and it may be so disclosure of poor debtors, providing for imprisonment and regulating fees.

The committee report on the Phillips contested election case was made to-day, Mr Blakley (Republican) is the present incumbent, and Mr Beale (Democrat) contests the seat on the grounds that the law classing Phillips is unconstitutional. The majority report, signed by the Republican members of the committee, favors the sitting member The Democratic members reported adversely

A Discussion

was assigned to next Tuesday.

The Tax Committee reported the abolishment of the State Board of Assessors as inexpedient

The petitioners for the equipment of the Bangor arsenal were given leave to withdraw

Quite a number of remonstrances against the passage of the druggist's bill, were presented A bill was presented to make valid the acts of the Gorham Library Association, a petition prohibiting the taking of smelts in Casco Bay, a bill authorizing towns to raise annual sums for the propagation of fish, to incorporate the Belfast, Camden and Stockton Street Railway Company, to incorporate the Stroudwater Electric Light Company

A bill was presented to prohibit false statements concerning insurance companies The penalties are fine or imprisonment Twenty five petitions for abolishment of the school district system came in the House to-day A bill to prevent building unnecessary high fences in front of other property, was introduced also a bill incorporating the Cape Elizabeth home for aged women a bill amending the savings bank law and defining municipal indebtedness

Passed to be enacted, the act authorizing common carriers to sell perishable goods which they have transported, a bill authorizing the establishing and maintaining of a bridge across tide waters at Spruce creek, Kittery, a bill amending the law providing for the sale of real estate by license of the court

Visited Normal School

The following gentlemen of the Education al Committee visited the State Normal School at Farmington Monday, returning yesterday Messrs Winslow, of the Senate Chamberlain, Alden, Libbey, Boothby, Pratt and Carlton of the House, accompanied by Representatives Light and Delano They found the school to be in fine condition One hundred and sixty pupils were in attendance with 170 registered The main room being only large enough to seat 120 pupils and with an increase of 200 pupils for the spring and more for the future terms leads the trustees to ask this Legislature to appropriate enough funds to build an additional building suitable to meet all future needs of the school

Mr Carleton, of Winterport, presented to the House the petition of H R Dawson and 18 others, of Monroe, and Albert Pierce and 36 others of Frankfort, to abolish the school district system, remonstrances of Jefferson Neadley and 26 others, of Monroe A W Hopkins and 7 others, of Frankfort, A I Mayo and 23 other of Winterport against deer legislation for Waldo county and an act authorizing the town of Brooks to create and maintain a sinking fund and elect trustees which was referred to the Legal Affairs Committee

A large amount of petitions and acts came down from the Senate, and the largest number of bills, acts and remonstrances was presented or Tuesday that have been presented for years and they come about the same number Wednesday a great number of which relate to the fishing the

School District System

A remonstrance against the Druggist's bill which believes the bill to be pernicious in character and no remedy for the defects of the agency system was presented by Mr Penley of Auburn, and several others for same

Mr Merrill, of Farmington, presented a memorial from the citizens of Farmington and of the Waterville City Hospital

Mr Barlow, of Freedom presented the petition of S J Glidden and others requesting that an act placing a bounty on foxes may be passed

Mr Pratt of Turner presented the petition of H D Irish and 46 others for the Listing bill, so called An act to aid in the propagation of fish was presented by Mr Sprague, of Monson It provided that cities, towns and plantations may at their annual town meeting appropriate a sum not exceeding $500 to be expended therein for the propagation of fish in public waters of said city, town or plantation

Mr Fairbanks of Bangor, presented an act to incorporate the Belfast, Camden and Stockton Railroad Company, which gives said company the right to construct and maintain and operate by electricity or animal power said railroad

The petition of F K Perkins and others to prohibit the filling up of Bagaduce river was presented by Mr Buck, of Orland

An act to increase the salary of the guards of the Maine State prison was presented by Mr Preble, of Litchfield, which makes the salary $600

An act to prohibit false statements concerning insurance corporations or associations transacting business under the laws of the State or concerning any officer thereof provides that "Any person or solicitor for any insurance corporation who shall knowingly make any false libellous or

Misleading Statements

concerning companies doing business under the laws of the State, shall be guilty of misdemeanor and upon convict on shall be punished by a fine of not less than $50 nor more than $500, or imprisonment in the county jail for not less than thirty days or more than one year or both and he shall be forbidden to transact any business as an insurance agent for not less than five or more than ten years This was presented by Mr McKenney, of Biddeford

An act to amend Sec 24, Chap 3, of Rev Stat relating to the appointments of Surveyors of Highways was presented by Mr Bonser, of Kennebunk

Text of the Act for Dam Across Kenduskeag Stream

The petition of F O Beal and 57 others for a charter for the city of Bangor to erect and maintain a dam or bridge at or near the mouth of Kenduskeag stream in said city, with bill accompanying, was presented by Mr. Adams, of Bangor, yesterday Following is the act

An Act to authorize the city of Bangor to construct a bridge and dam across the Kenduskeag stream near its junction with the Penobscot in the city of Bangor.

Section 1. The city of Bangor is hereby authorized to construct a bridge and dam across the Kenduskeag stream near its junction with the Penobscot river, at a point just northerly of the railroad bridge now over said stream, and provide said dam with gates and locks, so the same may be safe and convenient for the passage of vessels, scows, rafts of logs and lumber and all conveyances of passengers and merchandise from the Penobscot river, and over said dam to construct a public way for carriages, teams and foot travel, and maintain and keep the same safe and convenient for public travel.

Sec. 2. In order to construct said dam and public way over the same the city of Bangor is authorized to take such land and other property on each side of said stream as may be found necessary to take and use in order to construct and maintain said bridge and carriage way providing that the carriage and foot way constructed and maintained across said stream shall not be more than 24 feet wide.

Sec. 3. Said city is further authorized to maintain a reservoir in said Kenduskeag stream, which shall be created by the dam aforesaid to the end that sufficient water may be had in case of fires; also for the better carrying away of sewerage as the water is

Thanks of Said Monsrelle

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate Passes Two Appropriation Bills Wednesday.

River and Harbor Items of the Sundry Civil Bil

The Cause of Considerable Discussion in House.

Senate

WASHINGTON, Feb 1 On motion of Mr Frye it was ordered that House bills on the Senate calendar be taken up for consideration in the morning Four under the call The fortification appropriation bill was taken up A discussion occurred on the subject of reduced appropriations provided in the bill The paragraph on which the debate occurred was agreed to Mr Teller offered an amendment appropriating $130,000 for testing the 12 inch elevating gun carriage of N H Emery Agreed to

The bill was passed and the army appropriation bill was taken up

Mr Proctor moved an amendment increasing the monthly pay of first sergeants to $20 and sergeants to $18 (an increase of $8 and $1 respectively), giving both classes increased pay for length of service. The amendment was agreed to The bill was passed and the District of Columbia appropriation bill was taken up

An amendment aroused opposition and he bill went over until to-morrow Several bills, not of general interest, were passed and after an executive session the Senate adjourned

House

In pursuance of the term of the concurrent resolution passed by the House and Senat making an arrangement for counting the electoral vote the Speaker this morning appointed as tellers on the part of the House, Mr Chapman, of Michigan, and Mr Hodge of Massachusetts Both these gentlemen are members of the Committee on the Election of President and Vice President

The House went into committee of the whole for the further consideration of the sundry civil bill The pending questions on the jurisdictional point of order raised by Mr Butler of Iowa against the several harbor items of the bill After some discussion the Chairman, Mr Lester of Georgia overruled the point of order

The items then came up for consideration In the aggregate the appropriations $15,000 000 Mr Holman offered as a substitute for the items an amendment appropriating the bulk sum of $8 000 000 to be expended in the discretion of the secretary of War for the improvements contemplated in the pending provision The debate on the subject was limited to two hours

Mr Springer, in opposition to the appropriations contained in the bill, called attention to the report of the Secretary of the Treasury which estimates that at the conclusion of the fiscal year, 1893-4 an unexpended balance of $17 500 000 will remain from previous appropriations for the improvement of rivers and harbors

Now it is proposed to make an addition al appropriation of $15 000,000

Mr Catchings questioned the correctness of Mr Springer's deductions from his statement

Mr Dingley of Maine, opposed the bill as far as it referred to river and harbor appropriations No one he said, was more strongly in favor of reasonable appropriations than he but if the bill passed in its present form the appropriations for the next fiscal year for harbor improvements would reach $33 000 000

Even if the treasury had a large surplus he appropriation of such a large amount would not be warranted

After further debate Mr Holman's substitute was rejected, after the rejection of two other items for river and harbor improvement were agreed to

Without disposing of the bill the committee arose and the House adjourned

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Expression in Favor of Annexation of Hawaii

WASHINGTON Feb 1 Senator Frye said to-day "I have for years observed with regret the acquisition by foreign powers of desirable coaling stations and harbor privileges on several islands until none is left save this one on the Sandwich islands

I am in favor of making sure of this one by taking Hawaii into our possession A protest by England against annexation on our part if deemed wisest and best by powers of this government, will be presumptuous and impudent

"England did not consult with us or our interests when she made an agreement with Germany to divide the islands of the Pacific with that power and she certainly can have no ground for objection if we see fit to take Hawaii the only territory now remaining in the ocean

YALE ATHLETICS.

Students and Alumni Refuse to Ratify Exclusion Rule.

NEW HAVEN (Conn Feb. 1 Fifteen hundred members and alumni of Yale University crowded into Alumni Hall to-night to take final action on the rule limiting membership on the athletic teams of the University to undergraduates who have never registered at other colleges The ballot resulted against the ratification of the rule

AMERICAN SYNDICATE

Will Control Cape Breton Coal Mines

HALIFAX N S, Feb 1 The Lieutenant Governor has signed the bill leasing to the American syndicate all the coal mines in Cape Breton

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Monetary Quotations.

NEW YORK Feb 1 Money easy 1 @ 1½, last loan 2 closing at 1½

Prime Mercantile paper 4½ @ 6

Sterling Exchange quiet easier 4 85 ½ for 60 day bills 4 87½ demand

Government bonds dull steady

Railroad bonds active firm

STOCKS

Adams Express	157	N Y Chic & St L	16¾
American Express	130	preferred	70
Central Pacific	38¾	Ohio & Miss	24 ½
Ches & Ohio	23 ¼	Ont & Westn	18¾
Chicago & Alton	144	Pacific Mail	28½
preferred	165	Pullman Palace	181½
Chic Bur & Quincy	103½	Reading	40¾
Del Hudson	135¼	Rock Island	87½
Del Lack	154¾	St. Louis & San Fran	
Den & Rio Grande	17¾	1st preferred	75
Erie	25¾	St. Paul	81 ½
preferred	5	preferred	124 ½
Ft Wayne	162½	St. Paul & Omaha	80¾
Lake Erie & Westn	24	preferred	110¾
Lake Shore	1 03¾	Sugar	128¾
Louisville & Nash	4	Texas Pacific	9¾
Mich Cent	106	Union Pacific	41¾
Minn & St L	17	U S Express	69
preferred	48	Wabash, St L & Pac.	11½
Mo Pacific	88	preferred	24¾
N J Central	128	Western Union	80¾
Northern Pacific	18	St. Paul Min & Man	112¾
preferred	48¾	Ind Bloom & Westn	00
Northwestern	115¾	Manhattan El	00
preferred	145¾	Oregon Trans Con t	00
N Y Central	110¾		

BONDS

4s reg	113½	Erie Seconds	103¾
4s Coup	113¾	Kan Pac. Consols	110
U. S 2s	100	Oregon Nav 1sts	111
Central Pacific 1sts	104½	Union Firsts	106
Den & Rio G 1sts	118		

New York Produce Markets.

NEW YORK Feb 1 FLOUR—receipts 37 970 bbls, exports 7 140 bbls, sales 2 143 sacks, sales 1 100 dull, Low extras 2 15@2 85, City Mills 4 00@4 05, City X ill patents 4 50@4 75, winter wheat, low grades, 2 10@2 55, fancy fancy, 2 55@3 75 patents, 3 85@4 00, Minnesota clear, 2 50@3 50, straights 3 50@4 00, patents, 4 25@4 90 superfine 1 85@2 00, rye mixtures, 2 90@3 50, superfine, 1 80@2 10 fine, 1 65@1 90, Southern flour firm quiet, 3 20@4 10, common to fair extras 3 50@3 75

RYE FLOUR—dull, weak, 3 10@3 30.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—firm, 1 90@2 00

BUCKWHEAT—55@60

CORN MEAL—quiet.

RYE—nominal Western, 59@62

BARLEY—quiet, firm Western, 72@82

WHEAT—Receipts 29,225, exports 132,713, sales 2e 000, market firmer, dull No 2 Red, 78¾@00 store and elevator, 81@00 afloat 80¾@83¾ feb, No 3, 60@60, No 1 Northern, 84¾@00, No 2 hard, 90¾@00, No 2 Northern, 83¾@00, No 3 Spring 71

CORN—Receipts 80,800, exports 73,306, sales 23 000, firm, steady very dull No 2 64¾ @ 00 elevator, 63¾@65 afloat, No 3 white, 56¾@00, ungraded mixed, 47¾@48¾, No 2, 53¾@54¾ steamer mixed, 55@00

OATS—Receipts 117,800, exports 3,150, sales 68,000, dull, steady. No 2 37¾@00, white, 38¾; No 3 33¾@38¾, white, 41@41, mixed western 33¾@38¾, white, 39@46 white State, 39@46, No 2 Chicago, 38¾@39¾

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, Feb 1 FLOUR—dull; quiet, firm

WHEAT—firmer No. 2 Spring, 74@00, No 2 Red, 74@00

CORN—firmer, No. 2, 44½

OATS—steady, No. 2, 31¾@00

RYE—No. 2, 52¾.

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AGAIN VISITED BY RUIN.

Island of Zante Destroyed in Many Places by Earthquake.

A Large Number Killed and Injured in the Wreckage.

An Enormous Tidal Wave Sweeps up the Harbor.

ATHENS, Feb 1 The island of Zante was shaken by another earthquake this morning, and a hundred houses were reported wrecked in the city of Zante Thousands are leaving the city to sleep in the fields Many were killed and injured

On other parts of the island, several villages were entirely destroyed, and many of the inhabitants killed The rest are sleeping in the fields An enormous tidal wave swept up from the harbor this morning, smashing small craft against the sea wall, and sending water two feet deep along the streets on the harbor front

The shock at 2 was felt at Cephalonia and several shocks have been felt since

FIRE RECORD.

General Destruction at Little Falls, N Y

LITTLE FALLS, N Y Feb 1 Fire early this morning burned two saloons, a number of barns and sheds Nelson block, Hotel Rockton and the Grand Central Hotel block The Metropolitan block was about ruined by fire and water These blocks contained stores and several rooms in which families resided A number of narrow escapes were recorded The loss is nearly $200 000 Insurance $75 000

THE PUBLIC DEBT

And the Condition of the Treasury

WASHINGTON Feb 1 The public debt increased during January $3 105 800 08 The aggregate interest and non interest bearing debt Jan 31 was $963 803 033 64 There was a decrease of $3 827 520 18 in the surplus cash The total amount of cash in the treasury at the close of the month was $772 851 290 surplus $125 208 068 02

BUSINESS TROUBLES

Big Pittsburg Concern Failed

PITTSBURG, Feb 1 The Anchor Foundry and Machine Company failed to-day The liabilities are $124 000 and the assets $100 000

TO CURE INTEMPERANCE BY PRISON

New Hampshire Takes Action in Regard to a Curative Institution

CONCORD N H Feb 1 In the House to-day it was voted to have a joint committee to investigate a cure for drunkenness and the feasibility of establishing a State curative institution where pauper and convict persons afflicted with this disease may be put at the expense of the county or the State and report at this or the next session of the Legislature

BLAINE BIOGRAPHIES

None of Them Authorized by the Family

WASHINGTON, Feb 1 Mrs Blaine states that none of the advertised biographies of Mr. Blaine is authorized or approved by herself or any other member of the Blaine family

FOREIGN NEWS.

Italian Rascality Now Occupying Public Attention

POME Feb 1 In the Chamber of Deputies to-day, President Bianchert announced that the public prosecutor had applied for authority to prosecute Deputy Zerbi on the charge of criminality based on developments regarding the Bank of Rome The statement was received in deep silence Deputy Zerbi is a member of the Right In 1891 he was secretary of the committee which examined the bill of that year relating to banks and the charges against him are said to imply corrupt conduct in relation to that measure

The Turpin Gazette says there is reason to believe that King Humbert spent 4 000 000 francs from his private fortune to redeem notes consequently he has given the Bank of Rome and the National Bank

The Naples Courier says it has proof that Signor Giolitti former Minister of Industry and Commerce and Signor Grimaldi, Minister of Finance drew checks after the last elections for the benefit of several new senators These checks were paid by the Bank of Rome Giolitti's checks were for 110 000 francs Lacava's for 10 000 and Grimaldi's for 10,000

Bark Missing

LONDON Feb 1 The bark Pacific, Norwegian, Ericksen, Exploits Bay, N F Oct 21 for Dieppe, was to-day officially posted at Lloyds as missing

Now Let Bem on Succumb

LONDON, Feb 1 A despatch from Paris says a divorce has been granted to Edward Parker Deacon

Eighteen Men Killed and 17 Injured by an Explosion

BERLIN Feb 1 An explosion of fire damp occurred in the Blumenthal coal pit at Recklinghausen West Phalia, to-day and eighteen others were killed instantly and seventeen injured

AMUSEMENTS

Ellie Akerstrom at the Opera House

The engagement of Miss Ellie Akerstrom and her company at the Opera House was concluded yesterday, after four pleasing performances Both afternoon and evening yesterday the attendance was again large The matinee presentation was a repetition of the successful 'Miss Rose and that of the evening, the new play 'That Smith Gal Miss Akerstrom again acted with much spirit and her efforts were well appreciated, as were those of the other members of the cast Miss Akerstrom's dancing and songs, Mr Brennan's dances, the violin solo by Mr Albright and the songs and dances by Mr Mack met with much favor

Our County Cousin

The Dayton *Daily Journal* says of a play which will be at the Opera House House Friday night

This new rural play commenced a three days engagement at the Park matinee yesterday and drew immense audiences both matinee and evening It is a very good and interesting play, filled with thrilling and realistic scenes. Frank Jones as Jason Wheatley the Country Cousin, succeeded in keeping the audience in the very best of humor The company is good and the singing of the famous Farmer Quartette was excellent and merited several well earned encores The railroad scene is the best we have ever had this season Road switches, telegraph poles, derricks, and the flight of the midnight express brought the audience to their feet The train is 200 feet long and crosses the stage in six seconds A genuine threshing machine in operation added greatly in the realism of the farm scene. The play is one that will please all and the Park will certainly be packed to-day and to-morrow, matinee and evening

The sale opens this morning

The Operator.

The scenic melodrama "The Operator" which will be given at the Opera House, Saturday evening, received the following notice from the Philadelphia *Ledger*,

The Operator, a melodrama in five acts, by S D Ferguson was the vehicle used to introduced Willard and William Newell, the twin stars, to Philadelphia audiences, at the Empire Theatre, last evening. The play is mounted in fine style, several of the scenes being worthy of notice, among them one in which a full-rigged ship is shown in a storm. Another realistic effect is produced in the fourth act by the introduction of an engine, "running at the rate of 60 miles an hour," and which falls through a trestle and explodes.

William Newell as George Darrington was effective, as was his twin brother, as Silas Jackson, while the part of Joe Wilson, the box conveyor, was finely portrayed by Chester Heath. Ella Gardiner was capital as Lillian Turner, and Agnes Cody as Mrs. Darrington. Jessie Wyatt made a vivacious Rose Fairfax. W. J. Wheeler as Ralph Stuart Taylor as Bill Tompkins, and Thomas Maguire as Pete showed these two to be a clever trio of comedians. Special praise should be awarded to Gertrude Dewey, who appeared as Susan and Wanda.

The sale of seats opens this morning.

Municipal Court.

Wednesday, Feb. 1.

Michael McGrath, of Ireland, Martin Conroy, of Gardiner, drunkenness, fine $3 and costs each. Committed.

LOCAL MATTERS.

To-day is Candlemas Day

The Shakespeare Club will meet on Friday evening of this week

The officers-elect of Mt Moriah Royal Arch Chapter will be installed this evening

The Young Ladies Mission Band will meet in the vestry of the Central church next Saturday afternoon at three o'clock

Quite a number of the Bangor Baptists will attend the sociable which will be given in Ray's Hall, Brewer, this evening and they anticipate a very enjoyable time

The Universalist society will have a sociable to-morrow evening at the residence of Dr D W Maxfield, on Jefferson street, and a very pleasant time is expected

The members of Bangor Lodge of Elks are making arrangements for a social session next week at their rooms on Main street It is the intention to have them once a month

Mrs W A Nelson and the Apollo Quartette went to Belfast yesterday to appear at a concert to have been given last evening at the Congregational church in the lecture and concert course arranged by the pastor, Rev R T Hack

The funeral of the late Mrs W S Bolton occurred yesterday at 10 A M, at her late residence at he Water Works and many friends were present Rev E Pember, pastor of the Universalist church officiated The floral offerings were very beautiful

Quite a party of the members of the First Baptist P S C E took a ride to East Bangor Tuesday evening and by invitation, attended a social held at the church there A fine supper was served and the ride and social were thoroughly enjoyed

The young people of the Universalist society are making arrangements for a dramatic entertainment to be given in The Norombega some time in March Active preparations will soon begin and the affair will without doubt be a success financially and socially

A petition was in circulation yesterday protesting against any appropriation by the Legislature to a private hospital while the Eastern Maine General Hospital has a charter for a hospital on Albert Davis, and it was being quite generally signed The petition will be sent to the Legislature at once

The impressive funeral services of Mrs Lydia E Porter, which were held yesterday afternoon, were largely attended Rev Mr Pember very feelingly addressed the relatives and many friends and the choir of the Universalist church touchingly rendered several appropriate selections The floral tributes were beautiful

Mr George A Clough, the Boston architect was in the city yesterday and inspected the City Hall lot and took its dimensions with a view of submitting sketches for the proposed City Hall Mr Clough is the architect who made the plans for the Fogg memorial building of Berwick academy which is being erected under the direction of H H Fogg Esq of this city

A reception to students will be given at the Young Men's Christian Association building on the evening of the 14th of this month and it will be a very pleasant affair as are all such occasions at this place It will be for students of the Bangor Theological Seminary, Ban or Business College and the senior classes of the Bangor and Brewer High Schools There will doubtless be a very large attendance

There was a goodly number of skaters and spectators at the Bango Skating Rink last night and all again enjoyed themselves Mr A G Stevens of St John gave his third and last exhibition of fancy and trick skating and it was viewed with much interest as it was very skillful work The polo game proved an exciting and well fought contest It was won by Resolutes

Among the improvements at the Bangor Exchange which is now being put in excellent condition is the new ladies parlor on the second floor of the hotel It is in the corner of the building directly over the office commands a view of Main and Cross streets from the windows and is being handsomely furnished The improvements in the office are nearing completion and the change is very noticeable for the better

The less frequented streets were in fine condition for coasting yesterday and the young people were seen enjoying themselves on the hills A long and favorite slide was from Fifth street down Cedar and across Main to Summer street and so good was the sliding that the sleds experienced no difficulty in ascending the hill just before Second street is reached such was the momentum previously attained Last evening after ten o'clock quite a number were sliding on State street hill

An incident somewhat amusing to the spectators occurred yesterday afternoon on York street The patrol wagon was summoned there and an inebriate was found standing braced against a building with a divided we fall an, evidently knowing that the least progressive movement on his part would bring disaster The patrol wagon drove up directly beside him and he so quickly appreciated its mission that he climbed up over the rail and dove into the bottom It evidently seemed to him like an Arctic relief party instead of an arrest as he rode off to the station in a very cheerful mood

Concert This Evening

Grace church has something of a reputation for good musical entertainments given in other years and that reputation will not suffer in the concert to be given this evening, as it will surely be one of the best entertainments ever given in Bangor by local talent Each performer is a favorite in our city and a large house will listen to this concert The concert begins at 8 and will consist of about 10 numbers

The programme will be as follows

PART I

Serenade, Piano and Organ	Ch A Windor
Miss Silsby and Miss Curtis	
Song, Paris (by request)	Two Mattel
Miss Jewell	
Song	
Mrs Potter	
Cornet solo with piano accompaniment, Facilita	Lastmann
Mr Adams.	
Song, with cornet obligato, 'From the Alps'	
Miss Curtis	

PART II

Piano Solo { a The Last Hope, b Tarantelle,	L M Gottschalk
Miss Marsh	
Song	Selected
Mrs Potter	
Cornet Solo, with the organ, 'Maid of Athens,'	
Mr Adams	
Song, "The Flower Song from Faust"	Gounod
Miss Jewell	
Song, "Deep in my Heart"	Contemori
Miss Curtis	
Duett { a "A Flight of Clouds," b "Nearest and Dearest,"	Sir J Caracolo
Mrs. Potter and Miss Jewell.	
Miss Mary Silsby, accompanist	

Funeral of J. H. Wilson, Esq.

The funeral of the late John H. Wilson, Esq., occurred yesterday afternoon at two o'clock, at his late residence on Broadway and there was a very large attendance of friends and representative citizens, gathered to pay their last respects to a highly respected resident of Bangor The floral decorations were profuse and very beautiful and included a handsome wreath from the members of the Penobscot Bar. Rev J. M. Frost, pastor of the First M. E. church, officiated as the bearers were Messrs. N. S. Harlow, J. W. Coombs, N. O. Ayer, and W. S. Wyman. Mr. A. D. Taylor had charge of the funeral arrangements The interment was at Mt. Hope.

SEBOOMOOK FALLS DAM

An Interview With Ex-Governor Davis

So much interest has been manifested in the proposed improvements at Seeboomook Falls that a WHIG representative has interviewed ex Governor Davis, one of the interested parties, on the subject and has obtained from him the following statement

Last year Senator Hale, his brother and myself were interested with Mr J C Moore in cutting some five or six million feet of logs on township 5 R 18 in Somerset county on the North Branch above Seeboomook Falls The logs were driven last spring and the principal expense was incurred on Seeboomook Falls

I have been interested in drives that have gone over those falls for some seven or eight seasons and every year more than one-half of the expense of driving has been put out on Seboomook Falls Last spring I spent one two weeks on Seboomook while Mr Moore was driving his logs and we examined the ground and decided where to build the dam at the head of the fall and for booms, piers and other improvements down near the foot of the falls above the "Big Eddy and at the "Cow Yard

At that time he Bradstreets of Gardiner were in no way interested with us in this land Since then they have become interested with us in the township where Moore's logs were cut last winter and in several other townships and have taken a permit for a term of years and have come under obligations to cut the lumber It is lumber they will cut taking from ten to thirty million per year putting on from one to three camps on a township and it must be driven over Seeboomook

There will be cut on the South Branch as much more every year in all probability as the Bradstreets cut on the North Branch, so that for the next ten years there will be from 30 to 40 million of logs go over the falls and I know I am safe in saying that it is a physical impossibility to drive that amount of lumber over Seeboomook without a dam and other improvements The year there will be some 24 or 25 million feet go over said falls It is proposed now by the bill to be presented to the Legislature to obtain a charter to construct said dam at the head of the falls and make the other improvements below and to do the work this winter and if the charter is granted we shall put on a crew of men within a week and construct a good dam costing several thousand dollars including the piers and booms lower down the falls as above stated

The whole work will cost probably from $4 000 to $6 000 and when completed I think will make the driving comparatively easy and cheap

Many times I should be willing to give bonds to drive 20 million of logs from Lunstor to Chesuncook Lake for 40 cents per thousand and I think less I never cut so cheaply or quite so per thousand to drive over Seeboomook alone There has been much talk about carrying and taking logs across from the North Branch into Moosehead Lake No plan of that kind has been perfected and I am not interested in any way directly or indirectly in any such plan

My judgment still is and always has been that all the logs from this region would go over Seeboomook Falls into Penobscot boom and that within the next ten years there will be at least 800 millions of lumber go over said falls and if the charter granted and the improvements made all parties interested in the lands and lumber and mills will be most materially benefited The object desired is so far that all parties who understand the situation now practically agree that improvements on Seeboomook contemplated by Senator Hale and ourselves should be made as soon as possible.

WARDWELL-AMES

A Pleasant Wedding in Bangor at Noon Wednesday

Mr M H Wardwell of Duluth Minn formerly of Bangor and Miss Mary I Ames of this city were united in marriage yesterday noon at the residence of I J Morse Esq on Kenduskeag avenue in the presence of a party of relatives and intimate friends The ceremony was performed in a happy manner by Rev C H Cutler pastor of the First Congregational church and at the close hearty congratulations were offered by the assembled company

During the ceremony the couple stood under a beautiful canopy of roses lillies of the valley and smilax and the rooms of the house were handsomely decorated with palms and flowers by Mr Carl Beers The bride wore a very becoming gown and carried a bouquet of Maresch al Niel rose and lillies of the valley

A delicious luncheon was served after the ceremony and Mr and Mrs Wardwell were then driven to the Maine Central depot where they took the 1 10 train After a brief wedding tour they will go to Duluth which they will make their home

Mr Wardwell is a young man of excellent abilities and he has a good business position in Duluth The bride is an accomplished, interesting and most estimable young lady Many friends unite in wishing for a happy future

Y P S C E CONVENTION

Provisional Programme for the Semi annual Meeting of Penobscot County Union

Those in charge of the programme for the semi annual meeting of Penobscot County Union, Y P S C E which occurs on the 23d inst at the First Congregational church in Brewer have the order of exercises about arranged and are now able to present the following as a provisional programme in which some slight changes may be made

Forenoon

Praise service

Addresses of welcome in behalf of church and city

Appointing committees and other business

Afternoon

Devotional service

Business—Secretary's report address by President, election of officers, the next place of meeting, finance and other matters

Open Parliament—"Tried and Proved Methods of Work, led by H M Prentiss of Belfast

Discussion—"The Consecration meeting how may it become a greater power what is its place in our work Opened by Rev S D Towne, of Old Town

Our Progress—Reports from societies represented

Junior Hour—(In the vestry)

Evening

Devotional service

Address by Rev J M Frost, of Bangor

Closing consecration meeting

The exercises will undoubtedly prove highly interesting and profitable and it is hoped that every Christ an Endeavorer in the county who can do so, will be present and enjoy them

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

January Term, 1893.

HON JOHN A. PETERS, Chief Justice
WILLIAM P. REED, Sheriff.
RUEL SMITH, Esq., Reporter
CHARLES F. SWEET, Clerk

Wednesday, February 1st

The case of Charles F Moore vs. Benjamin N. Flake, of Medway, and Emily D Moore vs. Benjamin N. Flake, were before the court to-day; The first case was brought to recover the sum of $1,160 for work and services on the defendant's farm for fifty-eight months, and the second for nursing during he time of 1,566 days at the rate of $1 per day or $1,566. The plaintiffs are the son-in-law and daughter of the defendant. The cases were heard together by the court, held for advisement and decision was reserved. B. L. Smith, Esq., of Patten, appeared for the plaintiffs and P. K. Gillis, Esq., for the defendant.

Court adjourned to Friday at 10 A. M.

Our Own Folks and Other Folks

Mr W T Goodale of Saco, is in the city

Mr H N Pinkham of Portland is in the city

Mr D Pingree of Salem Mass, is in the city

Mr C O Holway, of Auburn is in the city

W T Kingsbury Esq, of Bradford is in the city

Capt A F Fernald of Waterport is in the city

Mr H G Curtis of Brooks was in the city yesterday

Mr J H Glenn of Caribou was in the city yesterday

Mr J F Friend of Flint was in the city yesterday

Mr Corham Wood has been home from Bowdoin College

Mr Howard Could of Portland was in the city yesterday

Hon E C Ryder of Springfield is in the city on business

Mr D M Yeomans of Portland was in the city yesterday

Mr F F Robinson of Ellsworth was in the city yesterday

Mr H J Hathaway of Houlton was in the city yesterday

Mr Charles Baker of Belfast is in the city at the Bangor House

Mr and Mrs A H Gould of Dexter were in the city yesterday

Mr V H Lowell of Hallowell formerly of Bangor is in the city

Mr J C Blake left yesterday afternoon for a business trip to Boston

Mr I B Deasy of Bar Harbor was in the city yesterday on business

Mr and Mrs W H Rose have returned from a week's visit in Portland

S W Stevens Esq of Presque Isle is in the city the Bangor House

Mr J C Lewis is able to be out again after being confined to the house by illness

Mr C A Dennett, superintendent of the Bangor Hydraulic Company is in the city at the Bangor House

Mr and Mrs Edward Sta

RAILROADS.

Maine Central Railroad.

Arrangement of Trains.

In Effect Jan. 1, 1893.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

GOING EAST.

6.45 A.M.—For St. Stephen, Aroostook County, St. John and all points East of Bangor in Maine and the Provinces, with Parlor car for St. John.

7.25 A.M.—For Old Town and B. & P. R.R.

11.30 A.M.—For Old Town, Milford and B. & P. R.R.

12.20 P.M.—For Old Town, Mattawamkeag, Vanceboro and way stations.

12.25 P.M.—(Mixed) for Old Town and Mattawamkeag.

4.35 P.M.—For Old Town.

7.35 P.M.—Night express train for St. Stephen, Woodstock, Aroostook County and St. John, with sleeping car for St. John attached, daily, Sundays included, to Vanceboro and St. John.

GOING WEST.

7.20 A.M.—For Waterville, Augusta, Hallowell, Gardiner, Brunswick, Lewiston, Bath, Portland and Boston, connecting at Newport for Dexter and Foxcroft, at Waterville for Oakland, Winthrop, Farmington, etc., and at Portland for all points on White Mountains Division, Lancaster, Colebrook, N.H., Quebec, P.Q., and Montreal and the West. Runs daily, Sunday included, to Waterville, Bath, Lewiston (via Brunswick), Portland and Boston. Parlor car Boston.

12.20 P.M.—(Mixed) for Waterville and way stations.

1.40 P.M.—Flying Yankee, with through Parlor cars to Augusta, for Newport, Dexter, Dover and Foxcroft, Pittsfield, Burnham, Belfast, Waterville, Augusta, Portland and Boston.

4.20 P.M.—For Dover and Foxcroft and B. & P. R.R. via Dexter and mixed from Newport for all stations as far as Waterville schutze.

8.00 P.M.—Every Night for Portland and Boston via Augusta, connecting for Lewiston, Bath and Rockland, with Pullman sleeping cars at Portland.

Night trains between Bangor and Boston and between Bangor and St. John, run every night, Sundays included.

BUCKSPORT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Bucksport, at 7.30 A.M., and 5.30 P.M. Arrive at Bucksport at 9.00 A.M., and 6.30 P.M. Leave Bucksport for Bangor at 6.45 A.M., and 1.45 P.M. Arrive in Bangor at 8.35 A.M. and 3.00 P.M.

MT. DESERT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor at 7.00 A.M., 2.15 A.M. (mixed), 5.00 P.M. Leave Ellsworth at 8.25, 11.05 A.M. (mixed), and 5.25 P.M. Arrive at Bar Harbor 10.15 A.M., 1.35 P.M. (mixed), and 7.20 P.M., weather permitting. Trains connect at Mt. Desert Ferry for Southwest Harbor and Somesville.

Trains leave Bar Harbor (steamer) at 8.00 and 11.40 A.M. (mixed), 2.00 P.M. Leave Mt. Desert Ferry at 9.45 A.M., 2.00 P.M. (mixed), and 4.30 P.M. Leave Ellsworth at 10.10 A.M., 2.00 P.M. (mixed), 5.45 P.M. Arrive in Bangor at 11.40 A.M., 4.05 P.M. (mixed), and 10.30 P.M.

ARRIVALS.

Through trains from the East arrive at 6.25 A.M., 1.30 P.M. (Yankee), and 7.10 P.M. From B. & P. R.R. at 9.45 A.M. and 6.20 P.M. From Milford, 2.25 P.M. Mattawamkeag (mixed), 11.05 A.M. From the West. Arrive from Boston and Portland, 9.05 A.M., and 6.10 P.M. From Portland, 12.15 P.M. From Waterville and from Dover and Foxcroft via Dexter, 9.12 and 11.45 A.M., and 6.00 P.M. From Waterville and Belfast, 11.45 A.M. (mixed) and by mixed train 10.15 A.M.

NOTE.—Time of arrival and departure here given is that at Maine Central Depot, for Exchange Street depot a slight difference should be allowed.

Through tickets to principal points East and West on all routes are on sale at the Maine Central Ticket Office. For Pullman Berths or information call on or address A. W. Bennett, Ticket Agent.

PAYSON TUCKER,
Vice President and General Manager.

F. E. BOOTHBY,
General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

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Bangor & Aroostook R. R.

PISCATAQUIS DIVISION.

ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS

STANDARD TIME.

On and after THURSDAY, Oct. 27, 1892.

Passenger trains leave Bangor, Maine Central Depot, at 7.25 A.M. and 4.45 P.M.; Exchange Street, 7.30 A.M. and 4.40 P.M., for Greenville and intermediate stations, arriving in Dover at 10.00 A.M. and 7.07 P.M., and Greenville at 11.30 A.M. and 8.45 P.M., Katahdin Iron Works, 9.45 A.M. and 6.45 P.M.

Passenger trains leave Greenville at 6.00 A.M., 2.00 P.M.; Dover at 7.45 A.M. and 12.30 P.M.; Katahdin Iron Works, 8.30 A.M. and 4.00 P.M., arriving in Bangor, Exchange street, at 10.00 A.M. and 6.15 P.M., connecting with Maine Central Railroad for Portland and Boston.

A Mixed Train leaves Bangor, Exchange street, at 11.30 A.M., arriving in Dover and Foxcroft at 4.05 P.M. and Greenville at 5.00 P.M., Katahdin Iron Works, 5.00 P.M.

A Mixed Train leaves Greenville at 3.30 A.M. and Dover at 5.00 A.M., Foxcroft at 5.30 A.M., Katahdin Iron Works at 5.30 A.M., arriving in Old Town at 9.15 A.M.

Railway connection at Old Town, and Dover and Foxcroft, with Maine Central Railroad; at Mopson Junction with the Monson Railroad. At Cyrus Wiswell's Camden and Rockport Railway.

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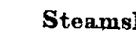

Commencing Monday, January 9th, 1893, steamers will leave Burnsport, weather and tide permitting, for Searsport, Belfast, Camden, Rockland and Boston, Mondays at 5 P.M.

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From Boston, Fridays at 5.00 P.M.

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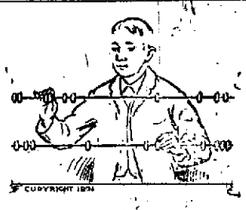

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The copartnership heretofore existing between J. E. Chapman and E. W. Chapman under the firm name of J. E. Chapman & Son is this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. E. Chapman will continue business at the old stand, Kenduskeag Bridge.

J. E. CHAPMAN.
E. W. CHAPMAN.

Bangor, Jan. 1, 1893.

Having purchased the stock and fixtures of the Banner Clothing House, 32 Exchange street, I shall in the future make that place of business. I wish to express my sincere thanks to all who have been my friends and patrons in the past for their many kind favors, and would earnestly solicit a continuance of the same.

Respectfully,

EDWARD W. CHAPMAN.

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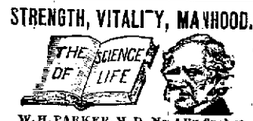

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Respectfully yours,

MARK McPHETERS.

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Penobscot Log Driving Company.

The annual meeting of the Penobscot Log Driving Company for the choice of officers and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before said meeting, will be held at the Penobscot Exchange, in Bangor, on TUESDAY, the fourteenth day of February next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

At the above named meeting the Company will determine whether the drive on the West Branch this year shall be made by the Company or let at auction. If the Company decides to let the drive, the Directors of said Company will put the same up at auction at the office of the Treasurer of said Company, in Bangor, on WEDNESDAY, the fifteenth day of said month of February, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Per Order of the Director.

T. S. MOOR, Clerk.

Bangor, January 21, 1893.

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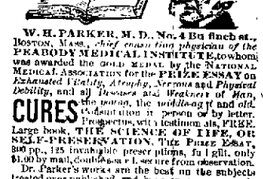

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BREWER LOCALS.

Mrs. H. J. Valentine is recovering from a sickness with typhoid fever.

Miss Call a Davis, of East Eddington, is visiting with friends in this city.

Mr. Jerry Dunn went to Ellsworth yesterday and will be employed there.

Mrs. William Rogers, of Dedham who has been quite ill, is improving in condition.

The regular weekly assembly of the J. O. B.'s will be held this evening in City Hall.

Conductor Mann, of the electric railroad, has been off duty on account of a lame back, for a short time.

A social for the members of the Bangor Columbia street Baptist church parish, is to be held this evening at Ray's hall.

Notices have been posted about the city for the drawing of a Traverse Juror for the Supreme Court, on the evening of Tuesday, February 7th.

Mr. S. N. Hodgdon, who has been home for a short time from the scene of his lumbering operations up river, has sent some more men up to-day.

The mercury took quite a drop during Tuesday night and the temperature was quite low. Yesterday, however the weather moderated again.

Mr. John Grindall came down from up river, where he has been employed in the woods, yesterday, being obliged to stop work on account of rheumatism.

Mr. William Thayer, of South Orrington, died Tuesday, aged 70 years, 10 months and 15 days. His funeral will be held Friday at 1 P. M., from his late home.

An aged resident of the neighboring town of Holden, died Tuesday, Mr. John Ford, who was 75 years old. The funeral will be held at St. John's Catholic church in Bangor, Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

Some of the young people have found skating on the river in spots where the snow has been cleared away for the ice operations. Care should be taken not to get into the places where ice has been cut.

Mr. William Cook, of the neighboring town of Dedham, has purchased the Nathan Hubbard house there, and taken it down and removed it to his place, where he will build a stable with the lumber.

The Arctic Ice Company was to finish harvesting its crop yesterday. About 16,000 tons is its cut this year, it having been reduced one half on account of the blowing down of one of its houses earlier in the season. Work has been going on, running the "crystal" into its building since the 12th of January.

The next meeting of Penobscot Pomona Grange will be held with East Eddington Grange on the fourth Saturday in February. The address of welcome will be given by Boyden Bearce and the response by G. M. Gowell, Master of Orono Grange. The question for discussion is to be: Resolved, that mixed farming is more profitable than special.

About $15 was the amount of the proceeds of the ride to Pine Grove Hall and social there under the auspices of the First Congregational Y. P. S. C. E. Tuesday evening. It was a most successful affair, and its enjoyable nature was much added to by an impromptu entertainment which was furnished and nicely presented by some of those present.

The funeral of the late Mrs. J. W. Blaisdell was held yesterday afternoon, from her late residence on Wilson street. A large number of her friends were present at the sad ceremony, and Rev. B. B. Morrill, pastor of the First Congregational church, officiated. The floral offerings were very beautiful. The interment was made at Oak Hill cemetery.

It seems as though that in the history of our city there had never been a winter when so much digging up of water pipes that had frozen was necessary, as during the present one. In a number of places in the city this work is, or has been, going on, or will be necessary before water can be obtained again, and the crews kept busy. One man, whose pipes are frozen, remarked the other day, as he started to carry a pail of water to his house, that "the holly is awful handy, but my pipes are a little too short." This is the case in quite a number of instances.

The long continued cold weather of the present winter and the absence of snow in any great quantity thus far, has made it hard for the farmers in this vicinity to keep vegetables and fruit in their cellars from freezing, as we have before mentioned, and reports in regard to this are frequently heard. In some instances oil stoves have been used to keep the cellars warm and fires of some kind have been very useful. Cisterns have been frozen over, so intense has been the cold and much trouble has been had with pumps out of doors. The winter will be remembered for a long time, as a hard one in these respects.

HEALTH AND SQUALOR.

A Very Low Death Rate in the Most Crowded Ward in New York City.

"Appearances are sometimes deceptive and popular impressions erroneous" said Dr. Tracy, of the health department.

"What now?" I asked.

"I had a friend, a physician from Connecticut, call on me the other day. On one of his tramps about town he had strayed down in the Tenth ward, which is bounded by Division, Rivington and Norfolk streets and the Bowery. It is the poorer tenement house ward of the city. There may be a dozen houses in which less than three families live, but most of the dwellings are double decked tenements, holding from twenty to sixty families to the house. Children swarm like bees, and it is probably the most densely populated spot in the United States, perhaps the globe. My friend thought that the mortuary record must be frightful.

"When I told him that it was about the most healthful district in New York, as I with nearly the lowest death rate of any ward, he would scarcely believe me. Take the Nineteenth ward, between Forty-fifth and Eighty-sixth streets, east of Sixth avenue, which is mainly filled with the homes of the rich and well to do, the death rate is 21.82, while in the Tenth it is but 18.73. The death rate in the old Ninth, or the Village, which contains but comparatively few tenements, is 23.34. The First, Fourth and Fourteenth are the three most unhealthful wards in the city, the rate being 35.02, 36.89 and 36.84 respectively. In the Twelfth ward, which comprises all of Manhattan Island north of Eighty-sixth street, and which contains the largest population, having within its borders about 225,000 souls, the rate is 19.28.

"As I said, a casual observer would consider the Tenth ward the most unhealthful in the city, owing to its crowded tenements and its geographical situation. The Twenty-first ward, bounded by Twenty-sixth street, Fortieth street, Sixth avenue and the East river, contains much of the aristocratic quarter of the town, but the death rate is 26.60. In fact, the Tenth ward, with its 80,000 Russian Jews and Germans, has the lowest death rate of any ward except the Third—a small ward, containing but 1,200 population, and whose death rate is 16.05."—New York Herald.

A Schoolmaster's Advice.

At the dinner given to F. Hopkinson Smith one of the speakers referred to the fact that their honored guest was known to some of his friends as Frank H. Smith. When Mr. McElroy was called upon to add to this fact, and set it right, he made him of a piece of advice which one of his schoolmasters had given to the class. "Boys," said this pedagogue, "never part your name in the middle unless your name happens to be P. T. Barnum."—New York World.

BISMARCK'S REPLY.

How the Price That France Had to Pay Germany Was Settled Upon

It was at Versailles, in that fateful February of 1871, when Paris had just capitulated and the spokesmen of victorious Germany and humbled France were haggling over the bargain of a peace. It was already apparent that finance was to play a prominent part in the settlement, and some of the ablest and strongest financiers of Berlin and Frankfort had been brought westward to Versailles for counsel and assistance.

At their head was Herr Schwabach, the leading brain in the great Bleichroder combination, but even he shrank from the responsibility of managing alone so vast a transferral of coined wealth as was contemplated, and urged that his father-in-law, Alexander Mendel, whom he regarded as the astutest and most capable money manager in Europe, should be sent for from London. This was done, and old Mr. Mendel attended the conferences held between the parties to the negotiations.

It was at one of these that Bismarck, pressed bluntly to name the minimum war indemnity which the new German empire would consent to take, blurted out those tremendous words:

"Cinq milliards."

There was dead silence for a moment. Then Jules Favre, springing to his feet, poured out a rhetorical and impassioned protest against this vast exaction.

"Have you reflected," he asked the chancellor, in conclusion, "what such a sum of money—five thousand millions—really means. Why, sir, if a man, miraculously preserved against our common mortality, had been born on the very first day of our Christian era, and had ever since gone on, night and day, putting franc pieces one by one on a pile, he would not even by this time have got such a mass together as you demand."

Bismarck merely smiled and laid his big hand on the London financier's shoulder:

"That is very interesting about the Christian era man, but my friend, Mr. Mendel, is a Jew. He had been counting franc pieces 4,000 years before your fellow began. So you see it is all right."—New York Times.

On a Mississippi River Packet.

There was a fine barber shop and "washroom" on the packet, and the barber and I often conversed, with a razor between us. He asked me once how I liked my hair trimmed, and I said I always left that to the barber.

"Dat's correct," said he. "You kin leave it to me safely, and you kin bet I'm more than apt to do it in de most fashionablest manner." Then he turned and called to his assistant, a coal black boy who working his way to New Orleans: "Hey, dere, lyon nigger, git me a high stool outen de pantry. How you spect I'ze gwine cut de gemmens hair if I doan' hab no stool?"

I mentioned the fact that the roustabouts were working very hard.

"Dat dey is," said the barber. "We call 'em 'roosters' on de ribber, but rous'about is more correct. Dey work night and day, an dey git mo' kicks dan dollars. Ef I got rejiced so's I had to do manual labor, I'd go stealin' fo' I'd be a rooster. Certain sar I would, 'cause dey couldn't wuk a man no harder in de penitenshuary ef he got caught dan dey do on dese boats."—Julian Ralph in Harper's.

Curious Animal Superstitions.

The cougar, puma, or "mountain lion"—mo-keit-cha, in the Queres tongue—is to the Pueblo the head of animate creation. In this curious mythology each of the six nice groups of divinities—"The Trues"—which dwell respectively at the six cardinal points, includes a group of deified dumb animals. They are Trues also, and are as carefully ranked as the higher spirits, or even more definitely. The beasts of prey, of course, stand highest, and of them and of all animals, the puma is ka-boy-de, commander in chief. Under him there are minor officials—the buffalo is captain of the ruminants; the eagle, of birds; the crotalus, of reptiles. There are even several other animal gods of the hunt—the bear, the wolf, the coyote—but he is easily supreme. The hunter carries always a tiny stone image of this most potent patron, and invokes it with strange incantations at every turn of the chase.—Scribner's Magazine.

Some Vegetable Malformations.

Below ground there are more abnormities to be found than most persons are aware of. The peculiar conditions that attend the subterranean habit favor monstrous growths. Not long ago a cluster of sweet potatoes was brought to me. Some were all red upon the surface, others were all yellow, and some were one-half red and the other side yellow. The Irish potato is fertile in its freaks. Seemingly not content with the underground situation, potatoes sometimes appear upon the branches among the leaves.

Occasionally a potato when planted whole will develop other new and small potatoes beneath the skin and out of sight, which only calls to mind how a hollow turnip may have its cavity filled with an aftergrowth of foliage, only to be discovered when the root is cut in two.—Professor B. D. Halsted in Popular Science Monthly.

Universal Use of Gas.

The latest solution proposed for the London fog and smoke nuisance is the use of gas for all cooking, heating and laundry purposes. The author of the scheme would make its use compulsory. He estimates that it would cost only $120,000,000 to buy up the gas companies, and the cost of the new plant to enable the whole of the 9,000,000 tons of coal now burned in London to be consumed as gas would be $55,000,000 more. Gas as a result would be cheapened, smoke would disappear, $20,000,000 would be saved outright each year, and London life would be lived in sunlight by day and the lovely glow of electricity by night.—Detroit Journal.

A Bradford shoemaker has a card in his window reading, "Any respectable man, woman or child can have a fit in this shop."

JOHN HOEY'S NERVE.

How He Got the Better of a Sportsman Who Trespassed on His Property.

I heard a good story yesterday about the late John Hoey.

Hollywood, as every one knows, was the apple of his eye, his ambition being to make it the most unique place of its kind in America, if not in the world, and on Saturdays he loved to roam over the property, inspecting its thoroughly and seeing whether his instructions had been carried out during the week.

On such occasions he generally wore a suit of shabby old clothes and a disreputable looking hat, and was almost always accompanied by a favorite fox terrier. The consequence was that he was frequently mistaken for one of his own workmen, and a mistake of this kind led on one occasion to the following curious encounter:

One morning he heard shooting in the woods at the rear of his residence, and, going to the spot, he found a sportsman shooting a quail. Pointing to a conspicuous sign, "No shooting or trespassing allowed," Mr. Hoey asked the sportsman if he had seen it.

"Yes," was the reply, "but old John won't know the difference."

Mr. Hoey wore his shabby old suit of clothes and, naturally enough, the sportsman never imagined that he was in the presence of the owner of Hollywood. The latter did not undeceive him, but said care easily.

"That's a very fine gun you have."

"Yes," was the reply, "it is one of the latest make. I paid $220 for it. You see it is hammerless."

"Is that so?" said John Hoey innocently. "Well, well, that's the first hammerless gun I ever saw."

Thinking that he might like to examine the gun the sportsman handed it to him with the remark, "Look out; she's loaded."

"So much the better," was John Hoey's quick reply as he stepped back and pointed the gun at the sportsman "it will cost twenty-five dollars more to get it from the justice of the peace. So old John won't know the difference, eh? Now git."

And in the twinkling of an eye the sportsman vanished.—New York Herald.

Scottish Longevity in Last Century.

In spite of a low scale of comfort in Scotland during the last century health was fairly well maintained, and there were many cases of extraordinary longevity. Govan, in 1795, was a village of 224 families, and though water was allowed to stagnate on each side of the highroad that served as the only street, the people were healthy and lived long. At Forgan, in Fife, there lived a man over ninety on St. Fort, the estate of Colonel Lindsay. The colonel asked him how many lairds of St. Fort he had seen, when he replied, "Six, and I hope to see the seventh." "What do you wish a change of lairds?" "Oh, no, but I suppose there would be no objection to the coming home of a young laird?" The colonel had lately married. At Montquhitter, Aberdeen, a neighbor condoled with Mary Crookshank, ninety-nine, on the loss of a daughter, and observed that she herself would soon follow. "Aye, fat fey (doomed to die) noo, do'ee see about me?"—Toronto Empire.

German Workmen's Dwellings.

In the summer months of 1863 the first colony of workmen's dwellings, known as Alt-Westend, was built. It contained eight rows of houses two stories high, each row having sixteen dwellings of three or four rooms each, and so arranged that the four room dwellings could be divided into two room dwellings and so rented if necessary. The first stories have a clear height of over nine feet and the second of over eight. The outer walls are of plastered stone work in the first story, surmounted by plastered framework, and each dwelling has a cellar. The buildings are simple, and in the words of Alfred Krupp, were intended for poor families who must save, but desire a healthful dwelling, and not for those to whom a few more dollars a year made no difference, when it meant that they could live more comfortably.—Berlin Letter.

A Carpenter Making Moonlight.

Charles Dickens was extremely fond of amateur theatricals. A recently discovered letter of his contains the following lines, which are most characteristic of the author of "Pickwick": "I am terribly out of spirits this morning, owing to the great difficulty I and the stage carpenter experienced in making moonlight, which is a much more troublesome task than who anticipated." There is something very ludicrous in the idea of employing a carpenter to make moonlight.—Harper's Young People.

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